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TITLE OF INVENTION: AQUEOUS SOLUTION PREPARATION CONTAINING AMINOGLYCOSIDE ANTIBIOTIC AND BROMFENAC

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Determination of Patent Term Adjustment under 35 U.S.C. 154 (b)

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All Participants:	Status of Application:			
(1) <u>LAYLA BLAND</u> .	(3)			
(2) Amy Schmid.	(4)			
Date of Interview: <u>17 August 2010</u>	Time:			
Type of Interview: ☐ Telephonic ☐ Video Conference ☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applic Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☐ No If Yes, provide a brief description: .	cant's representative)			
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Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: The scope of claim 10 was discussed. Claim 10 would be rejected under the same grounds presented in the previous office action because claim 10 includes monoethanolamine. Applicant's representative authorized an Examiner's amendment to remove monoethanolamine from the claim.